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IN RE APPLICATION OF

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SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION

(BASED ON PCT/EP04/13811)

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FOR: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION

OF DEFINED MIXTURES OF THF, BDO AND GBL BY GAS PHASE

**HYDROGENATION** 

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.